GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

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DELHI JAIPUR EXPRESSWAY
Jaunpuria Shri Sukhbir Singh

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the time by which the construction of Delhi- Jaipur Expressway, NH-8 is likely to be completed and the amount of funds spent till date;

(b) the number of overbridges under construction on the Delhi-Jaipur Expressway and the time by which the construction of the said over-bridges is likely to be completed;

(c) whether the Government proposes to construct the elevated expressway alongside the NH-8; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTE R OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI PON. RADHAKRISHNAN)

(a) & (b) Delhi-Jaipur Expressway is envisaged under NHDP Phase-VI. Feasibility Study has been completed. The project has not been taken up yet due to high cost of land acquisition and high construction cost. However, 6- laning of Delhi-Jaipur section of NH-8 is in progress. There are a total of 74 road over bridges and one rail over bridge to be constructed. Out of these, 17 road over bridges have not been taken up due to issue of land, shifting of utilities etc. Out of the remaining 57 road over bridges, 49 have already been completed and 8 are currently in progress. One rail over bridge is also in progress. These are scheduled for completion in December, 2015.

(c) No, Madam.

(d) Does not arise.